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SETTING UP ENGINEERING COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of the engineering colleges operating in the country at present for imparting training to the Air Force personnel;

(b) the number of personnel being imparted training every year;

(c) whether these colleges are not adequate to provide requisite number of engineers, aircraft technicians, mechanical and electronic engineers to the Air Force;

(d) if so, whether the Government propose to set up independent engineering colleges; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) At present, no separate engineering college is being run in the country for imparting training only to Air Force personnel.

(b) & (c): Do not arise.

(d) & (e): A proposal for setting up an Air Force Engineering College is under examination.